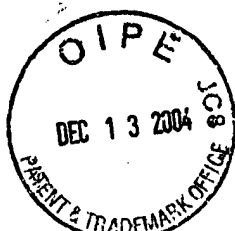


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gholam-Reza Zadno-Azizi, et al.
 Appl. No. : 10/017,753
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 For : CONNECTION GEOMETRY FOR
 INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM
 Examiner : David Willse
 Group Art Unit : 3738

NOTICE REGARDING CONTINUATION APPLICATIONS

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Assignee, VISIOGEN, INC., owns a number of co-pending applications with specifications that disclose subject matter similar or identical to the subject matter disclosed in the specification of the present application. These co-pending applications include the following:

SERIAL NO.	FILING DATE	TITLE	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/020,853	12/11/01	ACCOMMODATING INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.001A
10/877,778	6/25/04	DISTENDING PORTION FOR INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.004C1
10/017,920	12/11/01	OPTIC CONFIGURATION FOR INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.005A

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10/021,797	12/11/01	MATERIALS FOR USE IN INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.006A
10/021,795	12/11/01	HYDRAULIC CONFIGURATION FOR INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.008A
10/877,513	6/25/04	HYDRAULIC CONFIGURATION FOR INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.008C1
10/020,002	12/11/01	METHOD OF IMPLANTING AN INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.010A
10/987,683	11/12/04	METHOD OF IMPLANTING AN INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.010C1
10/207,708	7/25/02	METHOD OF PREPARING AN INTRAOCULAR LENS FOR IMPLANTATION	VGEN.001CP1
10/207,718	7/25/02	SINGLE-PIECE ACCOMMODATING INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.001CP2
10/207,701	7/25/02	ACCOMMODATING INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM WITH SEPARATION MEMBER	VGEN.001CP3
10/207,717	7/25/02	MATERIALS FOR USE IN ACCOMMODATING INTRAOCULAR LENS SYSTEM	VGEN.001CP5

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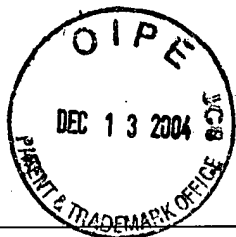
Notice is hereby given that Applicant may pursue additional claims covering subject matter similar to that claimed in the present application, in one or more of the above-listed co-pending applications, and/or in one or more continuations, divisionals or other descendants thereof. Accordingly, Applicant reserves its rights under, inter alia, 35 U.S.C. § 120-121 to pursue such claims at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the Issue Fee for the above-identified application:

- (X) Form PTOL-85.
- (X) Notice Regarding Continuation Applications in 3 pages.
- (X) A check in the amount of \$1,030 to cover the issue fee, publication fee, and advanced order of copies is enclosed.

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